Attention Luisa /CDPM

Testimonies from East Timor, December 1990

1 **Domingos Pereira**, 23 years old, living at Matadouro Rt 17, Rw 8
Arrested on 3 November 1990, 11.30 pm at my aunt's home.

I was taken to the office of the intelligence command, Senopati I, severely beaten up, my face and nose were bleeding. I was then taken to Polres (police headquarters), and beaten while in transit. My belt was tied round my neck and I was dragged along because I couldn't walk.
Next day, I was moved from Polres to Senopati II where I was interrogated. [He then gives some questions and answers.]
I was very ill at Senopati, given hardly any food or drink, I sometimes drank water from the WC. My health deteriorated.
On 12 November, I was moved back to Polres.

2 [A document signed by **Benigno Soares da Silva**, is illegible because of poor quality of the photocopying.]

3 **Noe da Silva Ximenes**, born in Baucau, 9 November 1969, a student at Balide Sao Jose Externato, son of Marcel Celestino and Carmelina da Costa Silva.
Arrested on 13 November 1990, for being involved in political matters, and having influence in the demonstration. During my detention, I was maltreated in many ways by Indonesian soldiers.
I must report weekly to the police, although I am not involved in anything criminal.
Testimony signed on 15 December 1990 [Photo]

4 **Bobby Xavier Luis Pereira**, from Vile-Vordg(?)
Arrested on 27 September 1990, released 6 October 1990. Re-arrested on 8 October and released on 9 December 1990.
Although I am free, I am being hunted by the security.
I was arrested in Matadoura kampung, beaten with an iron rod. They fired a pistol twice, once into the air and once in my direction but I wasn't hit. I was taken to a cell and stripped (the rest illegible).
[Some questions and answers from the interrogation follow.] [Photo]
Testimony signed on 15 December 1990.

5 **Francisco Narcimento** (spelling?). Born in Ainaro, 3 May (year unclear) Now living in Baropite Ailok-Laran. Father is Aleino de Araujo, a peasant, living in Ainaro, Manutasi.
Arrested on 4 September 1990 by the police and beaten till I was bleeding. My face was all swollen and my head was injured. I am now suffering from an internal disorder. I was arrested because I took part in the demonstration on 4 September 1990.
I was released on 8 September, but I am still being threatened by the police and the army.
Testimony signed on 17 December 1990. [Photo]

6 **Calistro Gudinho**,, born Ermera, 23 July 1973. Student at SMPN, Fatu-Hadu. Arrested on 28 October 1990 and released on 15 December 1990. I was tortured by the Indonesian military by all minds of

electrical equipment. My case was political, but the military said that I was involved in criminal activities. Although I am free, they are trying to force me to be an intelligence agent. [Photo]

7 **Caitano Martins**, born Aileu 5 May 1969, SMA student. From Comoro, Fumento. Because I was involved politically in a demonstration, I was beaten up by the military. I am being hunted down; I am still under the protection of Vatikano Dili. [Photo]

8 **Pedro da Costa Lemorai**, born in Aileu 15 June 1972. Student at St. ... (illegible) SMAK, Motael Parish.
I was beaten when the police forced their way into the Motael Parish church on 18 November 1990. I am an assistant of the pastor. They (the police) forced me to open the door of the pastor's home, so that they could enter. [Photo]

9 **A.M. Coriea**, born Baubau 13 June 1968, a student at St. Petrus SMAK, from Taibessi, Dili, the son of Francisco Coriea.
I was arrested on 19 October 1990. During my detention and interrogation, I was tortured and humiliated in many ways by the Indonesian military. Kopskam forced me to become an intelligence agent. The Indonesians have no respect for humanitarianism and human rights.
Signed on 15 December 1990 [Photo]

Please correct names + place names which I may have misspelt, + let me have corrections. Thanks. C